

VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT GENERAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 4, 2014

Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may request to vote an absentee ballot. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen, who will be 18 years of age or older on Election Day, who has resided in the ward or municipality where he or she wishes to vote for at least 28 consecutive days before the election. The elector must also be registered in order to receive an absentee ballot. Proof of identification must be provided before an absentee ballot may be issued.

TO OBTAIN AN ABSENTEE BALLOT YOU MUST MAKE A REQUEST IN WRITING.

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the election. You may also request an absentee ballot by letter. Your written request must give:

1. Your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote
2. The address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different
3. The date of the election(s) for which you desire an absentee ballot
4. A Declaration that you meet the voting requirements
5. The date
6. Your signature.

Your request may be mailed or delivered in person.

Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined to home or a care facility, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk.

You can also personally go to the clerk's office, complete a written application, and vote an absentee ballot.

**Micaela Montagne, Clerk
Town of La Pointe
240 Big Bay Road
715-747-6913**

Hours for the Town Clerk or Deputy Clerk are: 9a.m. - 3p.m., Monday - Friday

The deadline for making applications to vote absentee by mail is 5:00pm, on Thursday, October 30, 2014.

The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the Clerk's Office is October 20, 2014. The deadline for voting an absentee ballot in the Clerk's office is 5:00pm, on Friday, October 31, 2014.

THE MUNICIPAL CLERK WILL DELIVER VOTED BALLOTS RETURNED ON OR BEFORE ELECTION DAY TO THE PROPER POLLING PLACE BEFORE THE POLLS CLOSE ON NOVEMBER 4, 2014. ANY BALLOTS RECEIVED AFTER THE POLLS CLOSE WILL BE COUNTED BY THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS IF POSTMARKED BY ELECTION DAY AND RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 4:00 P.M. ON THE FRIDAY FOLLOWING THE ELECTION.